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Dear Sir or Madam:

SUBJECT: YOUR FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT (FOIA) REQUEST

This is in response to your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request of January 29, 2020. You seek a copy of records regarding the death of Staff Sgt. Logan Melgar, the soldiers involved in the incident, and any associated investigations and prosecutions. The main Navy Office (DNS-36) assigned this command the portion of your request seeking Total Force Manpower Management System (TFMMS) information pertaining to Sailors identified in your FOIA request. This command received partial assignment of your request on February 5, 2020. Your FOIA request number is 2020-004337 and FOIA correspondence number is 20200201.

The Total Force Manpower Management System (TFMMS) contains data regarding manning numbers. TFMMS does not contain data about individual Sailors. As such, we have no responsive TFMMS records regarding this portion of your request.

If you believe this command conducted an inadequate search you have the right to appeal this "No Records" determination, in writing, to the Office of the Judge Advocate General, OJAG Code 14, 1322 Patterson Avenue SE Suite 3000, Washington Navy Yard, DC 20374-5066.

Should you believe the submission of an appeal necessary, OJAG Code 14 must receive the appeal within 90 calendar days from the date of this letter in order to be considered. Please attach a copy of this letter and a copy of the original request. Include a statement regarding why you believe this command may possess responsive TFMMS records pertaining to individual Sailors. Please mark both the envelope and your appeal letter "FOIA APPEAL."

No assessable FOIA fees were associated with the processing of the portion of your request processed by this command. I am the official responsible for this "No Records" response

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regarding records maintained by this command. Should you wish to discuss this matter, you may contact the undersigned at (901) 874-3165 or [david.german@navy.mil](mailto:david.german@navy.mil).

You may also contact the DON FOIA Public Liaison, Christopher Julka, at [Christopher.a.julka@navy.mil](mailto:Christopher.a.julka@navy.mil) or at (703) 697-0031. In addition, the Office of Government Information Services (OGIS) provides a voluntary mediation process for resolving disputes between persons making FOIA requests and the Department of the Navy (DON). Their website is below:  
<https://www.archives.gov/ogis/about-ogis/contact-information>.

Sincerely,

*David German*

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By direction